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Title: MATERIALS FOR SOFT TISSUE AUGMENTATION AND METHODS OF MAKING AND USING SAME

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision dated January 9, 2003, Paper No. 15, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-22.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time with extension fee for month(s) to to respond to the final rejection was filed on .
- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time for one month to file the Notice of Appeal and the requisite extension fee in the amount of \$ 55.00 are enclosed.
- ☒ Notice of Appeal fee is enclosed (if applicable)
- ☒ \$160.00 - Small Entity has been previously established in this case.
- ☐ \$320.00.
- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal).
- ☐ An oral hearing before the Board of Appeals is respectfully requested. Requisite fee is enclosed.
- ☐ \$140.00 - Small Entity has been previously established in this case.
- ☐ \$280.00.
- ☒ Our firm's checks totaling \$210.00 are enclosed.

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- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 204555.0045) for any overpayments or deficiencies in the above-calculated fee. A duplicate copy of this notice is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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